LUCAL MATTERS.

Whaters Probabilities, May 17, 1880.— For the Middle Atlantic States stationary or flowly falling baromoter, westerly winds, warmer, clear or partly cloudy weather.

Senools IN THE COUNTY .- Quite an enthu astic meeting was held at Walker school house a the county on Friday night last. Mr. Thomas H. Sypherd was elected chair-

man smild. E. Clements sceretary.
The chairman of the Board of School Trus-Mr. G. R. Adams, explained that the obet of the meeting was to better inform the we of the importance of the vote that is to a taken in the county on Thursday, the 27th the said that the school fund apprepriatinst. The said that the school lund appropriat-tly the State law would be enough to run els for the period of four months only the next year, but that the Legislature had passed an not allowing the people to vote a levy at exceeding fifty cents on the one hundred deline worth of properly in order that the public schools might be continued lorger than our mouths in the year. Mr. A. sail that sayle were now asked for the usual levy of would, in his mund, be an almost proceed absknow of the free schools attirely. Mr. Adms transa long list of statistical statements, very satisfactorily showed that there were no States county.
The following letter from Trustee R. S. Lo-

ery was then read : May 14th, 1:80.

Transes Goo. R. Adams and others : I regret that business matters will not perm e to be present at your school meeting to night. dut I desire to express my accord with the prois an willing to assume my share of the burden of taxation imposed by the desired increase, for Licel assured no patriotic cit zen can question the good to be accomplished by our school fund; and, as an implicit believer in the officacy of our amon schools. I want them on such feeting wall secure the fullest opportunity for every

and in our district to seems their benefit.
The rountry district school farnishes three stills (f) of the learned and the succe sful busmess men of the North, and I firmly believe that this fact will hereafter prove true of Virimis; hence the accessity devolving uson useffurnishing the means by which our youths may at themselves for the race for life. The datatics of New England show that nearly sine-tent's of her enecessful manufacturers tarted in tife upon a farm and had no early eduest onal advantages beyond those given by a common country rubble rebool. The same is and of other appendiction and the professions is these States. Hardly a Senator or Congress-man from the North and West Lut commenced his erear in the same school and as farmers, and everywhere that we go among our intelle tcal and successful men, we have the same story repeated, showing indisputably that the greatest lever to ensure success smoog men is the country district school. It behaves all of us who would have our youth ber one ornaments to the er spheres of civilization to offer them every facility; and since, in my judgment, the common school is the great desideranem-is higher and better even than colleges and universities

position to increase our school levs.
Truly yours. B. B. LACES. Mr. John T. Ricch sail he was opposed to the school tax, because the government had turdened the people of the county with so many colored monde that were now inhabiting Freedman's Villag t. The government iquity ters, said be, pay estoparatively no taxes, and we, the payers, have their children to educate. He said he was epocsed to it, and would var against the school tox upon those grounds.

to that end, I favor it in every possible way, and will mert cheerfully you are on the pre-

Mr. T. H. Sepherd theu delivered a scene speech in fever of the support of the public rebook said that such institutions were the clements that added to the wealth, prosperity and intelligence of a community; said that a thench he had no children young enough to map the benefit of a public school, yet there was no part of his tax that he paid so cheerfully as his chool tax.

The meetics then adjourned.

GOSPAL TENT SERVICES, -The open hir and vices of the Yeung Men's Christian Assectation were commenced in this city yesterday aftertoon, by intercating exercises held in a large tent erceted for the purpose. The test had been puched on the grounder?

the old Court House, north side, and long before the appointed hour for commercing the services, 5 o.clock, every seat within the tent, which was an open one, was occupied, a large rumber of pacife standing on the outside .-The ministers present were Rev. Wm. Dinwiddle, of the Second Presbyterian Chu-ch Rev. L. H. Pestee, of the M. E. Church; Rev. W. K. Bayle, of the M. E. Church, South; R v. Dr Joseph L. Mills, of the M. P. Church Rev. W. S. Ponek, of the Baptist Church and Rev. Wes. McGuire, of the Refermed Epis earal Church. Rev. Mr. Dinwiddie presided, and gave out the hymr, "Come we that love the Lord," which was sung with spirit by the large congregation. Prayer was then of fered by Rev. Mr. McGuire, after which Rev. Mr. Pearce made an appeal to the corgregation for a cartribution to defray the expenses of the new movement, and a collection was taken up. amounting to over thirty delais. Rev. Messis. Dismiddle and Pariek made string addresses, and the meeting closed with the Lenediction by

The ten will be placed on "Windmill Hill." south L e street, next Sunday, where meetings will be held ustil the con mittee think it advisallate tempre it to some other parties of the

TESTERDAY .- Yesterday was a bright and listsant day, and the churches all had good congregations. The day was observed in the Catholic, Protestent Episcopal and Lutheran chu ches as Whitsunday, or Pentacest Day, filty days after Easter, and second only in inday when the Holy Ghost descended on the Aposil's and bestowed on them the gift of torques, as record in the 21 chapter of the Ac's of the Apostles, In St. Mary's Church the music was of the same joyful character as that fendered on Easter, and was rendered in excelhat style by the chair of the church, consist itg of Miss Nevett, directess; Mrs. Julia Mon-No. sorrane; John W. Wilkins, tener; Joseph Monroe bass; Miss Florence Paicell, organist. la the Episcopal Churches sermons were deivered a; progriate to the day by the pastors. The adjuts of the churches were filled by the lesident clergy. In the afternoon an interesting Gespel temperance meeting was held at the 100ms of the Alexandria Referm club, which was addressed by Mr. I. C. O'Neal. The ffreets were thronged with visitors from

Washington until a late hour in the evening. GLAND COUNCIL OF MOSES -The Grand Conneil of Brothers and Sisters of Moses, was hold in this city Thursday night, with Alfred Jones in the chair, and R. D. Ruffie, record ing secretary. Eight lodges from Washington, and two from this city, and one from Potomac City, were represented. The differences here tifne x sting between the two factions of this order were settled by adorting a motion to form a Supreme Grand Lodge of the United States in Washington. Alfred Jones, Geo P. Douglass, James E. Piper R. D. Ruffin, F. Churchwell, J. Ashby, W. Stanton, A. Shepherd, A. Paige, M. Ashby, S. Brown and M. Green vere elected delegates to the said Supreme

Ladge ir m Virginia. Geo. P Dauclass was elected installing of feer for Virginia, and the meeting adjourned. pairs to-day.

THE STEAMER GULNARE —The work on the steamer Gulnere, which will convey the Hew- James Keith, Judge presiding.—Luncia E. Smith, guarding, ve. Carrie E. Smith; special laurched from the ways of the Marine Railway Foutherstensugh vs. Feathers enough; relaunched from the ways of the Marine Railway and Ship Bailding Company this afternoon, in the preserce of a large crowd. The scamer was inspected Saturday afternoon by Chief Chatles V. Gordon ve. Van Riswick & Myets; Naval Inspector Mantana, and there is little decree restraining the defendants from taking doubt but that the vessel will be accepted by any proceedings to enforce deed of trust. the United States government for the expedition. As has been stated in the Gazatte, the report of commissioner of sale and final deerce. Guinare, is an iron steamer of 225 tons burthen, and 140 feet in length, and 21 feet breadth of pany vs. Fowle, Snowden & Co. et als; petition beam. The thin iron plates, which are gencrally regarded as a sufficient protection against the violence of the winds and waves, have in this case been carefully supplemented on each side. There has been an entire new wooden frame of white oak placed in the inside and fined throughout with heavy four inch ceiling. The curside is sheathed with three inch cak plack, fistened through and through, the whole giving the extraordinary frame of fourteen inches in thickness. The bow on the outside is iron plated, fourteen foot from the stem and four cents on the one hundred deliars, is built up with three heavy breast hooks, fitted ten feet up and down. In the inside the bow is built up with three heavy breast hooks, fitted in selic, white throughout the entire vessel read that the people, seeing as they did the eped that the people, seeing as they did, the water wark. The interior arrangements of the gerfield's heirs vs. Dangerfield; chancery. Hoof Guinare baye been considerably changed both their schools at the present time would not let in order to carry out the plan of strengthening ued, then awart into a law months' system, which the vessel and scenting to flight accommodal. the vessel and scearing sufficient accommodahold there are three coal bunkers with to practice in this court. a capsely of 200 tens, while under the both deck are two fresh water tanks in the Union that main aired their schools for a capable of helling 1,100 callons. The engine less same than Virginia, and there were but few is of 250 horse power, with two 30 inch cylincounties to this State that kept their schools in ders, and a 24 inch streke. It has a Jet congood condition at so small a cost as Alexandria denser attachment. The vessel is brig rigged, and is firted out with an entire new suit of sails and new spare sails. It will be seen from the above that the vessel has been made unusually strong, which is necessary, for it requires a stearly built boat to withstand the constant pounding of the ice or the fatal ice floes of the extreme North. The vessel will be taken to the Washington Navy Yard, where the work of leading will be begun at occe. She will be reassumed for two years for tweely hive men. The provisions will consist of canned perimiero. of which 10 0000 paneds will be taken. The fur elething and other articles of Arctic life will be secured along the Greenland coast. The and the celepy will be under the direction of army officers. The expedition it is thought will sul about the first of June, and the vessel will make its way North as far as eighty-two North

> MEETING OF DELEGATES.-The delegates recently elected to the democratic State convention which meets in Richmond on Wednesday pext, met at the office of the City Treasurer, Saintday night for the purpose of organizing, Mr. E. E. Dowoham was elected chairman,

> latitude, where a wooden house, which is being

built as the Navy Yard, will be erceied, and the

remainder of the journey will be by land. It

is hoped the mission will be crowned with suc-

be waving from the North Pole.

and Mr. James W. Shinn, sceretary. The deterstion decided to recommend Hor. Jemes Barbour, of Culpeper, es delegate at large, and Judge Charles E. Stuart, of this erry as a delegate from this district to the Cincinneti conventior; also Capt. K. Kemper as a men ber of the democratic conservative extentive committee.

The delegatees were also unanimously in fevor of S. C. Neale, e.q., for Corgcess, on the ground that Mr. Neale westhe stronges; man that could be nominated; and further that Alexindria was emitted to the next Corgressional regresentation.

A number of the delegates will leave tomorrow morning for Richmond and the others

County ITEMS -At the list regular meet ing at Dacin's Band Lodge, L. O. G. T., held at the lodge more, near Balston, Alexandria e unit, the following officers were installed for the coungequerter : W. H. Veitch, W. C. T : Miss Fannie Sypherd, W. V. T.; J. T. Bire's, W. C.; A. W. Catlent, W. S.; Miss Mary Hayes, W. F. S; G. H. Mortimore, W. T; A. W. Laz, W. M; Emma Mortimore, W. I. G.; Geo. Payne, W. O. G. This lodge is now in a flamishing coadi tan, and intends giving a public entertainment on Tuesday evening, the is h iest, at which address a will be delivered by prominent temperated between, interspersed

with singing by the choir.
The Literary Class of the county mut last Thursday evening at the residence of Mr Har-vey Bailey. An excellent programme of select readings, and veed and instrumental music was rendered. These meetings are very much on-loyed by the people of the county, and never more so than when held at the house of Mr.

DESECRATION OF THE SAGRATH. - One of the river steamers on her way down the river yesterday with a large excursion party touched at the wharf in this city and took a number of of Alexandrians on board. The day was spent in gambling and drinking. When off the White House a Prof. Ollum, of Washington, delight ed the miscellaneous crowd by diving from the pilot house of the steamer into the water, where he remained for about two hours, performing all kinds of feats, such as building a rate and cocking tindinger on it, firing a rifle and other tricks. One man lost a waten and choice on the return trip, by betting on the game, "You can't find Johnry." The man thought he could find Johnny, and he was so confident, that he staked his watch and chain on it, but when he come to lock for Johnsy he found that he could'nt, so the watch and chain were passed over to the trickster. Rev. Dr. Ballock in his seemon yesterday mercing condemned these Sunday exercious in cleary

Redners in a Church,-Miss Mary Ellen Hill, ese of the hely margers of the fair which has been in progress during the past week at St. Mary's Hall, for the benefit of the Sisters of the Holy Cross, left the fair room Friday night and entered St. Mary's Church for the Perfance to that lestival. It commenceates the purpose of attending divine service, carrying with her a small hand satchel containing ten dellars in money and some other little articles. While the lady with the rest of the coogrega tion were at prayer, there was at least one person in the church whose thoughts were on any hing else but religion intent, for when the ledy arose from her devotions the satchel was gone, and at last recounts, although the satchel had been found, the thicf and money were still at large.

> SUNDAY SCHOOL CELEBRATION. - The Susday rebool of Meade Pro stant Episcopal Chanel, colored, in this city, under the charge of the students of the Thological Seminary had its appual Easter celebration yesterday aftergoon, which was a very interesting affair. The exercises consisted of singing and speaking, and the floral efferings were beautiful. The ban ners of the different classes, hearing on blemati cal designs, the distrations and the nest an pearance of the scholers refl eled great coudit upon the ladies and gentlemen labering in this branch of the church work.

> VIRGINIA MIDLAND R. R -The Baltimere American says: Mr. Robert T. Baldwig, one of the trustoes of the Virgicia Midland Rad road bondholders, states that he had no knowledge of the sale of that road on Thursday being in violation of the order of the Virginia Court of Appeals. On the other hand, be had been informed that the supersedens had been lifted, and made the purchase on behalf of the bondholders. The allegations made by opponents of the reorganization scheme are believed to be without foundation

Two schooners arrived at the ship yar i for re-

Anthony R. Friz'er vs Maicus Peail et al Al xandria and Washington Railroad Comof the District of Co'umbia for the appointment

Creamer & Wright vs. Teen; considued gen-

A. Herbert vs. Creamer & Wright; removed from County Court; continued. Com. vs. The Arlington Turnpike Co; rule

to show cause, &c.
G. W. C. Lee vs. F. Kaufman et al.; cj clvs. Hoof! charchy. These cases were contin-

Rebert Walton Moore, erq., of Fairlax, was upon motion of J. M. Johnson, esq., admitted Court adjourced until 10 a. m. to morrow.

COUNTY CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION, - A convention of delegates from the magisterial districts of the county was held at Walker School Building, the coutre, of the county, on Saturday the 15th inst. for the purpose of elce ing two delegates at large from the county to the State convention which assembles in Richmond on the 19th inst., Alexander Hunter, e-q., and James E. Clements were chosen such delegates, with Curtis B. Graham, jr , and Luther D. Hatch as alternates.

Ou metion of County Treasurer Windsor, the delegates were instructed to de all in their power to unite the conservative party in the State, and to endeaver to harmon'z sa much as possible these dissentions that have arisen in the party with reference to the settlement of the State debt, in order that the State may present a solid and nobreken conservative phalaux at the November election.

A strong effort was made to further instruct the delegates, but it failed. A resolution, howment of this convention is opposed to the nomination of Mr. Samuel J. Tilden.'

The presidential aspirant to whom delegate Hunter is favorable is not certain, but Mr. Clements is known to be s'ronaly in favor of cers, and before long the flag of Upole Sam will

FUNERAL OF DR. BUSEY .- The funeral of Rev. Dr. Busey took place yesterday from Sr. Paul's M. E. Church South, Baltimore, in the presence of a large congregation, in which there were many ministers and official members of the various churches. The officiating missisters were Rev. Dr. Regers, Rev. Dr. Cex. Rev. Dr. Poisal, Revs. Messrs. Capter, Armstrong, Harper, Gibson, McElfrich, and others Brief addresses were made by a number of ministers. Rev. Dr. Rogers spoke of the deceased from an requaintance with him extending over thirtyfour years, and said that if a text was to be chesen for the occasion no more fitting one could be found than the one, "Baheld the perfeet man, and mark the upright; for the end of that man is peace." He spoke of him as a man noted for being those uship boarst, rigid in his ideas, a men of great decision of character, and of inflexibiting of purpose. A man also of a geniel, buoyant spirit, not noted as an emotionalist, in a religious sense, but of sterling purity, upon where no breath of suspicion or Pre-eminent as a preceder, noted for the thor oughness of his preparation and expesition, patient and pairs aking. Upon the close of the s reice the remains were taken to Greenmouet for interment.

Frank .- There were two a arms of fire yes the efference. The one in the merries, about nine o'clock, was caused by the barning of the roof of an outhouse in the rear of a dwelling on Buke street, between Fayette and Payne. The alarm in the attracer, about two o'cke's, was caused by the barning of a roof around the chimmy of a house near the corner of Royal and Woife streets, compied by a colored lamily. Both fires were immediately excuguished, and the demage caused was slight

HEDREW FEAST OF WEIRS -The Hebrew Feast of Works, allo known as the Festivel of the law commemoration the regulation of the Ten Commandments to the children of Israel, began lest evening and was celebrated by the Hebrewe necessarion of this city. The Syna gegue, on Washington street, where servors were held in the marning, Rev. Dr. Sessler, the rabbi, preceding an interesting sermon approtriate to the day, was bard-ourly decorated with flowers, evergreens, &c

THE EPISCOPAL COUNCIL -- The Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the diceese of Virginia meets in Petersburg on Wednesday next. The delegates from this city are: Messrs. W. C. Yeston, from Christ Church: Authory McLoan, from St. Paul's Chuich; and Wm. A. Smao, from Grace Church, Rev. Mr. Suter, pasto, of Christ Church, left this morning for Lynchturg, and will precent from that cuy to Petersborg.

MOUNT VERNON VICE REGENTS APPOINT-ED .- The rese at of the Meunt Varion Indies' Association has used the following appoint ments to till vicet dire in the board of vice recents: Mrs. Loogh llow, vice regent for Mass; Mrs. Robert Campbell, for Missouri; Mrs. T. O. Richardson, for Louisiana.

FISH MARKET. -- Seventy five thousand herrice and one thousand shad arrived at Fishtown to day. Shad sold at \$11 to \$13 per hundred and herring at from \$2 to \$2 50 per thousand.

PERSONAL -Hon. Heister Clauser and wife, of Papas; lvania, were in the city v. s'erday, and received the hosticality of numerous friends.

Police Report.-Carrie West and Rachael Chase, grunk and disorderly; fined \$2.50 each, and in default of payment, sent to the work house. A small boy named Compton, for vagrate,

was dismissed with a reprimand.

A warrant was issued this evening by Justice Thompson against Margie Langdon, for an assault on Salme King.

THE POPPLEIN SILICATED PROS-PHATE—Especially prepared as a fertil-izer for the grass of small lawns and cometery in 10 ib bex's, at his per bag.

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NOTICE-GARDEN BEED-Persons do siring Garden Seed from D. M. Ferry & Co or Hiram Sibley & Co. can procure them by leaving their orders with W. F. CREIGHTON,

85 Kirg street. 25 MARKET BASKETS received to day and for sale low by J. C. MILBURN,

50 GROSS PARLOR and SULPHUR MATCHES received to day and for sale wholesale as manufacturer's prices by mail J. C. MILBURN.

EDGIL BEBUITIES. Bummer weather to day.

A band of grazies is encompact near Comeron Captain William H. Smith is co-fixed to his residence with a throat affection. The Mahone readjusters will nominate mag's trates and constables for the different wards to

Mr. L. E. Payno will deliver a temperance address at the colored Methodist Church, on Washington street to night.

Er. M. M. Lews, assisted by Dr. R. C. Pow ell removed a large tumor from the eye of Mr Thomas Barnett, on Saturday last.

The new canvass hose, ordered for the Alexandria Fire Darartment, which was expected to-day, will not arrive here until next Monday. A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to Henry Dwfer and Harriet R Sage, both of Montg mery county, Md.

Racing at the National Fair Grounds com-menced to-day. Many Alexandrians were in attendance.

The steam yacht Black Jack was patroling the river yesterday for the purpose of enforcing the new fish laws.

Rev. Mr. Randolph, formerly rector of Christ Church, in this city, but now of Bakimore, i registered at Green's Mansion House, All the small sail boats in this city have been

engaged by parties anxious to witness the boat race on the Potomac between Courtney and Banian on Wednesday next.

Mr. R. S. Stringfellow, a delegate to the Epis-copal Convention from Ridiey Parish, Culper-or county, passed through this city on route for l'eteraburg this evening. A horse attached to a wagen belonging to Mr.

J. T. Creighton ran away on Queen street this morning, and made things lively on that street for a time.

A regular daily freight train will be placed on the Manassas branch of the Virginia Midland railroad to-morrow to accommodate the increase of freight business on that road.

A meeting of the striking boat men was held at Cumberland Saturday night, and it is understood that the majority of the men were in favor of yielding to the demands of the coal companies Hon. Walter A. Wood, the manufacturer of the celebrated Wood's moving and reaping ma-chines, and a member of the House of Represenlatives from New York, was in the city yesterday. A revival will be commenced in the Baptist Mission Chapel, at the upper end of King at, to night, and services will be held there every night this week, except Wednesday night. Rev. Mr. Penick preaching.

The little son of Capt. Choster, the superin-Included the repairs to the steamer Guinaro, fell overboard at the ship yard Saturday evening, and would have been drowned but for the timely assistance of Thomas Coper, the master caulter of the vard.

BEMORRHOIDS -1 suffered terribly, Had made arrangements with a prominent surgeon to operate. A friend advised me to try Giles' Liniment and Pills. I did so, and to my unspeakable joy, get immediate relief, and am now J. L. KENNIN, Metropolitan Hotel, N. Y.

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Figrs - There were two a arms of fire yes terday - and is the marsing and the other in the afternoon. The one in the mersing, about less the faction of CURTIS & PERKINS the oldest and best female physicians and nurses is on the outside wrapper. Sold by all Medicine Dealers. Twenty-live cents a bottle. Beward of imitations.

### CANDIDATES.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ALL EXAMPRIA—I announce myself a candi-date for the office of Commission r of the Revchus, subject to a decision of the voters at the polis at the general election to be held May 27th, Respectfully, my 13 te\*

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF AL L EXANDRIA-trespectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of City Sorgeaut, and ject to the decision of the Conservative party, and earnestly request the support of my fellow JNO. W. CAMPBELL.

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ice fan ine. He ceu'd "grade his cream by the price," but his cream would lose the good name that years of fair dealing have won f rit asks that porsons abroad ordering "Brengle's Cream" from third parties will assure themselves that the cream sent is certainly from his estabtish ment. He warrants his oream and does not wish that inferior cresm may injure its reputation

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He caters for families and entertainments. my12-tf

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MOTICE.

Owing to the quantity of BRIC-A-BRAC, &c, that was not disposed of at the late fair, held by the laters of the Holy Cross, a centinnation of the fair will be held at St. Mary's Hall on MONDAY, May 10th, and continuo until all the goods are raffled off. Attention is called to all parties having chances in articles that have not as yet been raffied.

ARVEST TOOLS at S8 King, corner of Royal street, Alexandria, Va -On hand and for sale, wholesale and retail, Genuine Eng. lish Waldron Grass and Grain Scythes, all lengths; Imitation English Grain Scythes, American Clipper Scythes, sharpened and set; Euch Scythes and Snaths, Killes, Plain and Patent Scythe Snaths. Berea Scythe Stones, No. I quality; Beren Grind Stones, from 20 to 700 pounds, to which we invite the attention of purconsers. Small profitt; quick sales. J. T. CEEIGHTON & SON. m3 4

MOTICS TO GAS CONSUMBES.

Within fifteen days I have to settle my accounts with the Gas Light Committee. Urshall have to pay; there is no help for me, and surely no consumer would have me to pay his gas bill out of my small means. All consumers that I do not see are requested to call at the cities.

J. ROXBURY, my 12-1 m Superintendent.

NOTICE TO SMOKERS-Lovers of the weed will always find a large and choice stock of Cigars at both our main and branch stores A strictly first-class FIVE CENT CI-

JANNEY & CO., Druggists,
No 152 King street, and
no 11 n. w. cor. King and Royal etc. DOTATO BUG.

LONDON PURPLE, the new poison for the destruction of the Potate Bug, Cotton Worm, &c; also BEST PARIS GREEN, the same brand that we have been selling for several years. Large supplies just received by E S. LEADBEARER & BRO.

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W GENTLEMEN to our new stock of LOW QUARTER SHOES and SLIPPERS, all of which are made in the latest styles and of superior quality, and at prices that cannot fail to WADDEY, my7 110 King st.

HARVEY'S SPRINGFIELD and MONU-MENTAL SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS received and for sale by 3023 R W. AVERY, 226 King st. GALVANIZED BOAT SPIKES and Boat Nails-A full stock in store and for sale by ap28 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS. OROTHER.

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Extra Choice White Honey, IN THE COMB.

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50 CENT GREEN TEA. 500 lbs Good Gunpowder Tea.

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TRUE AND BEAUTIFUL, by John Rus-

kon, A. M.; \$250 RUE'S HELPS; prica \$1 50. ANDREW HARVEY'S WIFE, by L. T. Meade; \$1 25.

Mosde; \$125.

HEPHZIBAH GUINNESS, THEE AND YOU and A DRAFT ON THE BANK OF SPAIN, by S. Weir Milebell, M.D., \$125.

DAPHNE by Eita; \$125.

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THE FABULOUS GODS DENOUNCED IN THE FIRELS. \$1.00 IN THE SIBLE; \$125.

NEW ENGLAND BYGONKS; \$155.

MIS. BEAUCHAMP BROWN; \$1 SISTER DORA; \$1.25 UNDER TWO FLAGS, be Onils; 60c.

DAPHINE, paper cover; 60; New publications received days. PLAYING CARDS, a great variety, very GEO. E. FRENCH.

FINAL NOTICE.

NOTIUE ! TO THOSE IN ARREARS FOR CITY TAXES. The time allowed for the collection of city taxes for the present flead year expires May 30 1830. We give final notice that if the bit's still

remaining in our hands unpaid are not set led in the next ava days, wash all anteres their collection by distraint, as the law directs. So havbeen as indulgent to all as notable. Our duty is plain and imperative. We have either to pay the bills or collect them, and we sincerely, hope that those still in arrests will come forward and sattle, and thereby relieve us of the nachesty of enforcing the law, which we will surely disher fore the end of the first year. No creeding will be made, but the law carried out. JNO. T. HILL, Col. North, Dec.

S. K. FIELD, Cot. South 1981. Room 6, Market Building met-2 w THE BEAUTIFUL DARK BAYOT A SHOP

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Will stand for mares this season at CATIS, TAVERN, West End, from a Pitti, 1st to JUNE 30th, 1880. Star is a dark bay 11 hands high, and 7 years old; an excellent deliver and draught horse; weights 1200 ib). He was raised by Mr. Willis Henderson, of Fairfax co., Va. His sire was old Star, a Morgan horse; as dam a Black Hawk mare, from Kentucky. Star trots his mile in 2.1)

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